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1 (amended). A knitted netting, comprising:  
longitudinal polyolefin ribbons;  
lateral polyolefin ribbons knitted with said longitudinal polyolefin ribbons to  
form a knitted netting;

wherein at least one of said lateral polyolefin ribbons of said knitted netting  
has an actual ribbon length more than 110% of the length of a calculated [shuss]  
ribbon length for said knitted netting.

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3 (amended). A knitted netting in accordance with claim 1, wherein said  
plurality of polyolefin ribbons are on [the outside] opposite longitudinal edges of the  
knitted netting.

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9 (new). A knitted netting, comprising:  
longitudinal polyolefin ribbons;  
lateral polyolefin ribbons knitted with said longitudinal polyolefin ribbons to  
form a knitted netting;

wherein said lateral polyolefin ribbons of the knitted netting have a  
modification percentage of about 110% or more.

REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the outstanding Office Action  
dated March 4, 1999, and is accompanied by a Petition And Fee For Extension Of  
Time submitted herewith. Claims 1-8 are pending in the application. Claims 5-8